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Joest introduces SWECO's mineral processing products in Africa

South African company Joest has announced the addition of the full SWECO range to the company's comprehensive product line-up available from June 2014. This follows Joest entering into an exclusive licensing agreement for the marketing and distribution of SWECO round separators and spare parts in 2012.

Kim Schoepflin, MD of Joest, said, "The licence agreement offered Joest access to marketing and applications know-how, including training," adding that Joest engineers in South Africa have received advanced training from SWECO. The full SWECO range includes Gyramax sifters, rectangular separators, turbo-screen separators, grinding mills, Sta-Sieve stationary screening devices, PharmaASep equipment, hydrocyclones and centrifugal separators. The agreement between the two companies opens doors for both on the continent facilitating access to numerous applications across varied

industry sectors, from mining and minerals processing to food and beverage, pharmaceutical, pulp and paper and plastic.



SWECO round separators have been a mainstay for mining and minerals processing industries and are available from Joest

Joest will supply a range of SWECO products to South Africa and 35 African countries.

"The GyraMax gyratory has become a must-have item for mineral process applications, which employ or produce granular minerals such as silica and calcium carbonate, for example. The GyraMax also has high-value material called ferro silicon or magnetite used exclusively in Dense Medium Separation (DMS). The SWECO GyraMax gyratory sifter can boost plant productivity by means of such features as easy access to screens through hinged doors on both ends, which simplifies screen changes. "With the GyraMax, you can change any screen at any level of the machine from either end, without disturbing the other screens. Of course, if you want to change the screen through the top cover, this is also possible. However, there is no longer the need for overhead lifting gear in order to remove a heavy cover," the MD said.

